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Kirsty Braybon is widely recognised as Australia's pre-eminent nuclear lawyer and the driving force behind the University of Adelaide's Nuclear Law program, the world's first course dedicated to the legal dimensions of defence nuclear projects, including the SSN-AUKUS submarine capability. As Adjunct Lecturer, she designed and leads the Nuclear Regulatory Law course and the Professional Certificate of Nuclear Law, equipping lawyers, policy advisers and commercial strategists across Defence, industry and government with the legal tools required for nuclear-powered submarine acquisition and sustainment. She also teaches on International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) Nuclear Knowledge Management and Nuclear Energy Management Schools, spreading best-practice governance to emerging nuclear states.

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